LAW SECRETARIAT.

No. L. 5092—*Ml.* 19-39-70, *dated* 28*th November* 1939.

Under Section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act No. VII of 1894, it is hereby declared that the lands described hereunder are required for a public purpose, *viz.*, to continue the Cross Road from Mr. Karagappa's house in Lal-Bagh Cross Road and under Sections 7 and 3(*c*) of the said Act, the Municipal Commissioner, City Municipality, Bangalore, is authorised to take order for the acquisition of the said lands.

District	City	Division	Street	Name of khatedar or owner	Ml. No.	Vacant site, house (tiled, terraced or mud-roofed)	Total extent in sq. yards or ankanams	Extent now required						Boundaries			
								Length in feet	Breadth in feet	Area in sq. feet	Area in sq. yards	Ankanams	Running feet	East	West	North	South
Bangalore	Bangalore	VI	Lal-Bagh Road (Sampigehalli Village)	(1) Mr. K. Byrappa, son of Karagappa.	Survey No. 186	Vacant land.	...	38	13	494	55	...	...	Own property.	Own property and road.	Mr. Munisamappa's property.	Municipal Road.
				(2) Mr. Munisamappa.		Do ...	...	34	13	442	49	...	...	Nagamma's property.	Own property.	Rangappa's property.	Nagamma's property.
				(3) Rangappa		Do ...	...	31	13	403	45	...	...	Do ...	Do ...	Gajjapa's property.	Munisamappa's property.
				(4) Gajjappa ...		Do ...	...	29	13	377	42	...	...	Hayath Bee's property.	Remaining property.	Byrappa's property.	Rangappa's property
				(5) Mr. K. Byrappa, son of Karagappa.		Do ...	...	60	13	780	89	...	...	Narayanamma's property.	Do ...	Own property.	Gajjappa's property.

By Order,
C. SUBRAHMANYA AIYAR,
Secretary to Government,
Law Department.

CHIEF SECRETARIAT.

No. P. 3616, *dated* 28*th November* 1939.

The following notification of the Office of the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Viceroy publishing the Royal Warrant regarding the Indian Order of Merit, is re-published for general information.

By Order,
B. T. KESAVIENGAR,
Chief Secretary to Government.

OFFICE OF THE PRIVATE SECRETARY TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE VICEROY.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 27*th September* 1939.

No. 125-H.—The following Royal Warrant is published for general information :—

George R. I.

George the Sixth, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To all whom these Presents may come :

Greeting :

Whereas an Order, known as the Indian Order of Merit, was instituted by a Resolution of the Governor-General of India in Council, dated the seventeenth day of April in the year eighteen hundred and thirty-seven :

And whereas it has seemed to Us desirable to make provision Ourselves for this Order.

We do by these Presents declare that the Rules and Regulations made in the past from time to time for the governance of the said Order shall be cancelled and we are pleased to make for Us, Our Heirs and Successors, the following Ordinances in substitution of the same :—

Firstly.—It is ordained that the Order shall be named "The Indian Order of Merit" and shall be divided into a Civil Division and a Military Division.

Secondly.—It is ordained that the Civil Division of the Order shall consist of one class and that appointment to it may be made only by Our Viceroy. Any of Our subjects of Indian origin or any subject of a Ruler of an Indian State may be appointed to the Order for any act of conspicuous personal bravery in aid of public authority or the safety of others.

Thirdly.—It is ordained that the Insignia of the Civil Division of the Order shall be a Badge consisting of an eight pointed star 1" in diameter composed of rays, with in the centre a circular ground of dark blue enamel surrounded by a laurel wreath. On the enamel ground there shall be the Royal Cypher surmounted by a Crown encircled with the words "For Bravery." The Badge shall be of silver and the laurel wreath and the design in the centre shall be of gold. The Badge shall be worn on the left breast pendant from a dark red Ribbon with blue edges.

Fourthly.—It is ordained that the Military Division of the Order shall consist of two Classes and that appointments to it may be made only by Our Viceroy on the recommendation of the Commander-in-Chief of Our Forces in India. Viceroy's Commissioned Officers, Indian Warrant Officers and Indian other ranks in Our Armed Forces (including Frontier Corps and Military Police) or any members of Indian States' Forces may be appointed to the Second Class for any act of conspicuous gallantry performed in connection with their duties. Appointments to the First Class shall be made only from members of the Second Class for any similar act performed by them.

Fifthly.—It is ordained that the Insignia of the Military Division of the Order shall be a Badge consisting of an eight pointed silver star 1½" in diameter, with in the centre two crossed swords around which shall be inscribed the words "Reward of Gallantry," all on a circular ground of dark blue enamel and surrounded with a laurel wreath. In the Badge of the First Class the laurel wreath and the design in the centre shall be of gold. In the badge of the Second Class the laurel wreath and the design in the centre shall be of silver. The Badge shall be worn on the left breast pendant from a dark blue Ribbon with red edges.

Sixthly.—It is ordained that Our Viceroy may cancel and annul the appointment to the Order of any member and that thereupon the said member shall be required to surrender his Insignia, provided that Our Viceroy may subsequently abrogate any such cancellation and annulment.

Seventhly.—It is ordained that the members of the Order may use the letter "I.O.M." after their names.

Eighthly.—It is ordained that it shall be competent for Our Viceroy for the time being to make Regulations to carry out the purposes of this Warrant.

Given at Our Court at St. James's the twenty-fifth day of August, One thousand nine hundred and thirty nine, in the third year of our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command,
ZETLAND.

J. G. Laithwaite,
Private Secretary to His Excellency the Viceroy.

No. P. 3721—Pol. 24-39-7, dated 29th November 1939.

The Government of His Highness the Maharaja are pleased to extend the provisions of clauses (h), (o), (q) and (r) of Section 56 of the Mysore Police Act, V of 1908, as amended from time to time, to Kalkuni village, Malavalli Taluk, during the period of the employment of the Punitive Police in the said village.

By Order,
B. T. KESAVIENGAR,
Chief Secretary to Government.